Complete if Known Substitute for form 1449/PTO 09/107,486-Conf. #8134 Application Number INFORMATION DISCLOSURE Filing Date June 30, 1998 STATEMENT BY APPLICANT First Named Inventor Yoshiko SHIIMORI Art Unit 2625 (Use as many sheets as necessary) /Dillon Murphy/ Examiner Name K. Y. Poon of 3 0905-0206P Sheet Attorney Docket Number

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner hiddists*	Cite No.	Document Number Number-Kind Code ² (*/kinskin)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relavant Passages or Relavant Figures Appear	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner initials*	Cite No.'	Foreign Patent Document Country Code ³ Number ⁴ Kind Code ³ (If known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pagns, Columns, Lines, Where Rebyers Passages Or Relevant Figures Appass	T ^{ri}
/DM	BA	JP-4-304567-A	10-27-1992			AB

"EXAMINER: Initial if reterence considered, whether or not clation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next-communication to applicant." Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). "See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at waskingstopes of MPEP 601.04." Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WPO Standard ST.3). "For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. "Kind of document, by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. "Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached."

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initiats	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T²		

[&]quot;EXAMINER: Initial if retailence considered, whether or not catation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line, through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with nox transmission to applicant.

<u></u>		
1Evander 1 /Dillon Murahu/	Date	07/05/0007
LXXIIII /DIIION WUDIV/	Care	{ U//25/2007 - {
Signature	Considered	} 0112012001
	Cousington	I

[&]quot;Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). "Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attented.